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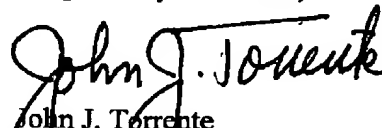
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the restriction requirement in the Office Action of March 11, 2004,
applicant elects, without traverse, for further prosecution in this application the invention of
the group I claims, i.e., the invention of claims 1-8 and 10-12.

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